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The Honorable P. Kevin Castel United States District Judge Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street New York, NY 10007 Time to file Rule 29 motion extended to June 15, 2020.

SO ORDERED. May 13, 2020

> P. Kevin Castel United States District Judge

Re: United States v. Peter Bright,

19 Cr. 521 (PKC)

Dear Judge Castel:

Pursuant to Rule 45(b)(1) of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, we write to respectfully request that the Court extend for an additional 30 days the deadline for filing a motion for a judgment of acquittal pursuant to Rule 29. The current filing deadline is May 15, 2020. A sentencing hearing is scheduled for September 3, 2020.

Due to the many and continuing complications associated with remote business operations during the national health crisis, including the limited ability to speak with Mr. Bright, we are in need of additional time to assess, prepare and file post-trial motions.

The Government has no objection to this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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